| *Sl. No.* | *Name of State/UT* | *1988* | *1989* | *1990* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1. | 2 | 3. | 4. | 5. |
| 12. | Orissa | 101 | 217 | 104 |
| 13. | Rajasthan | 457 | 420 | 450 |
| 14. | Sikkim | 06 | 07 | 11 |
| 15. | Tamil Nadu | 03 | 01 | 03 |
| 16. | West Bengal | 17 | 09 | 10 |
| 17. | Arunachal Pradesh | 15 | 09 | - |
| 18. | Dadra & Nagar Haveli | 13 | 07 | 11 |
| 19. | Daman & Diu | - | - | 03 |
| | Total | 3364 | 3623 | 3572 |

Note: Information in respect of other State/UTs is NIL.

**Recommendations of National Police Commission**

1798. SHRI RAM NARAIN BERWA: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRE be pleased to state:

(a) the details of new schemes which were recommended by the National Police Commission, 1978 for making improvements in Police Force;

(b) whether the Union Government have issued necessary instructions to the State Government to this effect; and

(c) if so, the progress made in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI M.M.JACOB): (a) to (c). All the eight reports of the National Police Commission were published. Copies of the first report and the seven other remaining reports were laid on the Table of the House on the 1st February, 1980 and the 30the March, 19833 respectively.

'Police' being a State subject it is for the State Government to implement the recommendations of the National Police Commission. Available information Indicates that the reports of the Commission have been throughly studied by them and a good measure of action taken to the extent considered appropriate.

**Public Call Office in Rajasthan**

1799. SHRI RAM NARAIN BERWA: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Public Call Offices opened in Rajasthan during the last three years;

(b) whether the Government propose to open Public Call Offices in each panchayat headquarters; and

(c) if so, by when?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI P.V. RANGAYYA NAIDU): (a) The details of public call offices opened in Rajasthan during the last three years are given below:

| *Year* | *No. of PCs opened* |
|---|---|
| 1988-89 | 353 |
| 1989-90 | 79 |
| 1990-91 | 127 |
| | 559 |

(b) Yes, Sir.

(c) By 31st March 1995

*[English]*

**Arms to Punjab Militants**

1801. SHRI V. SREENIVASA PRASAD:
SHRI M.V.CHANDRAHEKARA MURTHY:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government are aware that the militants in Punjab are now getting arms and ammunitions from Kashmiri Militants rather than from Pakistan;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) whether the Government propose to conduct secret investigations to know the activities of militants in Kashmir and Punjab?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI M.M.JACOB): (a) to (c). Government have seen reports indicating links between militants in Jammu & Kashmir and extremists in Punjab for sharing weapons etc. Security agencies are actively engaged in combating with the situation.

**Sale of Mahjai Diamond of Maharaja of Kapurthala**

1802. SHRI MOHAN SINGH: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the famous Mahjai diamond weighing 139.38 carats used by the Maharaja of Kapurthala, Jagjit Singh Bahadur, was sold in an international auction of Christie's in Geneve in November, 1983 for pound 4,12,500;

(b) if so, whether there was a FERA violation;

(c) whether any action has been initiated in the matter; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI M.M.JACOB): (a) to (d). Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.